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(PATENT)

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In re Patent Application of:
Soren V. ANDRSEN et al.

Application No.: 09/498,398

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Art Unit: 2654

For: METHOD AND ARRANGEMENT IN A
COMMUNICATION SYSTEM

Examiner: A. A. Armstrong

AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

MS Amendment

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Examiner's Office Action dated October 3, 2006, Applicants respectfully submit the following amendments and remarks in connection with the above-identified application.

This reply includes:

Amendments to the Claims; and

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Remarks.

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Fee TRANSMITTAL For FY 2006		Application Number	09/498,398-Conf. #8774
		Filing Date	February 4, 2000
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FEE CALCULATION							
1. BASIC FILING, SEARCH, AND EXAMINATION FEES							
Application Type	FILING FEES		SEARCH FEES		EXAMINATION FEES		
	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fees Paid (\$)
	Utility	300	150	500	250	200	100
	Design	200	100	100	50	130	65
	Plant	200	100	300	150	160	80
	Reissue	300	150	500	250	600	300
Provisional	200	100	0	0	0	0	
2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES							
Fee Description							
Each claim over 20 (including Reissues) Small Entity Fee (\$) 50 Fee (\$) 25							
Each independent claim over 3 (including Reissues) Small Entity Fee (\$) 200 Fee (\$) 100							
Multiple dependent claims Small Entity Fee (\$) 360 Fee (\$) 180							
Total Claims Extra Claims Fee (\$) Fee Paid (\$)				Multiple Dependent Claims			
$49 - 43 = 6$ $\times 50.00 = 300.00$							
HP = highest number of total claims paid for, if greater than 20.							
Indep. Claims Extra Claims Fee (\$) Fee Paid (\$)							
$6 - 6 = 0$ $\times 50.00 = 0.00$							
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3. APPLICATION SIZE FEE							
If the specification and drawings exceed 100 sheets of paper (excluding electronically filed sequence or computer listings under 37 CFR 1.52(e)), the application size fee due is \$250 (\$125 for small entity) for each additional 50 sheets or fraction thereof. See 35 U.S.C. 41(a)(1)(G) and 37 CFR 1.16(s).							
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4. OTHER FEE(S)							
Non-English Specification, \$130 fee (no small entity discount)							
Other (e.g., late filing surcharge): Additional claims 300.00							

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